



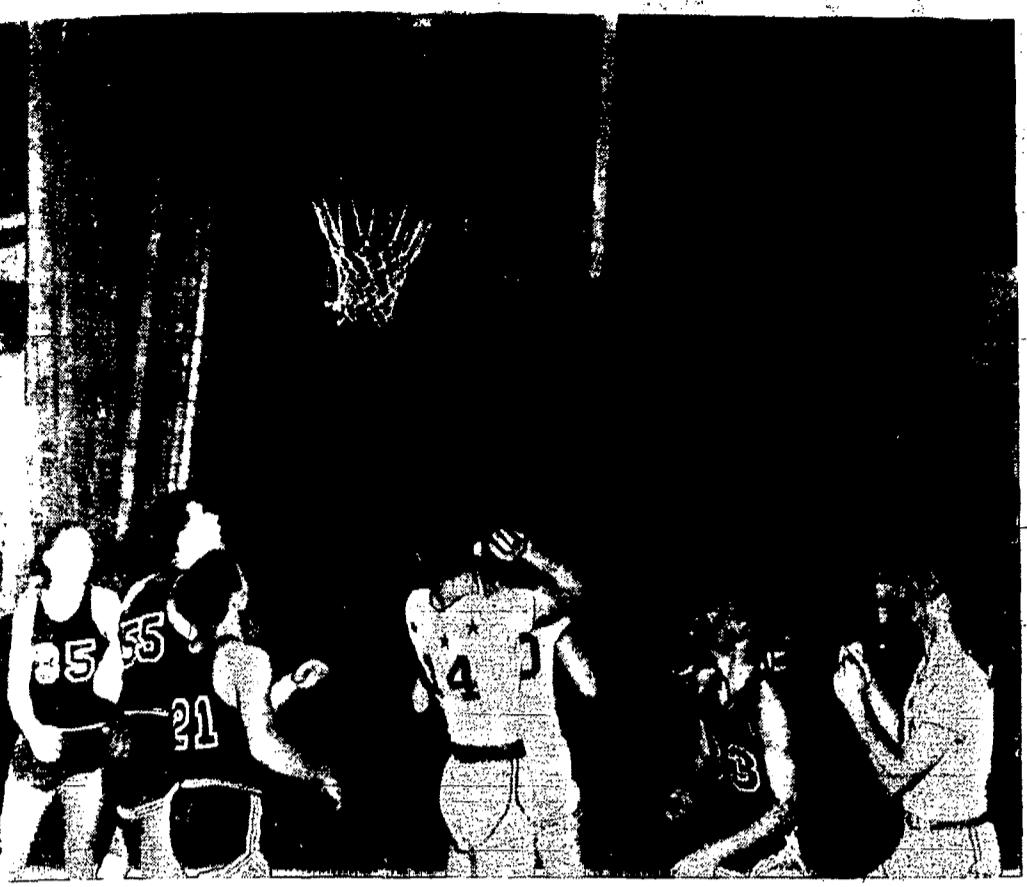
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NEWS THAT MAKES
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IN PEOPLE'S
LIVES



ACTION AGAINST BOYNE — Four unidentified Boyne City Ramblers along with three Grayling Vikings await the result of a field goal attempt. In the center of the photo is Pat Thompson, No. 14 and directly in front of him awaiting a possible rebound is Dave Nethers, while at the extreme right is LeRoy Neal.

Defeat Boyne City Ramblers 78-57

YOUTH TO JOIN 4-H ACTION CLUB

Information explaining the new 4-H TV Action Club and enrollment materials are being distributed on to all 4th, 5th, and 6th grade classes in Roscommon and Crawford Counties, according to Heidi Iathias County Extension Home Economist.

Miss Matthias reports that the 4-H TV Action Club features a series of ten 30 minute TV programs designed to teach basic emergency preparedness principles. The series will be seen on WWTW Channel 9, at 1:30 p. m. starting on Saturday, January 21, 1967.

Parents are encouraged to have their children enroll in this educational TV program according to the instructions given on the material given to each boy or girl at school.

If additional information is desired, contact your County Extension office at the Roscommon County Building, Telephone 275-5043. Enrollment material will be forwarded on request.

Members can enroll directly by sending a post card to: 4-H TV Club, State 4-H office, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan.

Be sure to give member's name, address, age and county when enrolling directly.

Members enrolled will receive by return mail their membership pin, card and 4-H TV Action Manual designed to help them carry out simple action projects explained on the TV Program each week.

Mancelona Here Tuesday; Travel To Pellston Friday Nite This Week

VIKINGS 95 — MANCELONA 75

VIKING JV'S 63 — MANCY JV'S 15

The Grayling Vikings kicked off the 1967 part of their basketball season on the right foot last Friday night at the GHS gym when they turned back a determined Boyne City Ramblers quintet 78 to 57. The Charlevoix Rayders moved out in front in the cage race the same night as they dumped the previous

unbeaten Gaylord Blue Devils 61 to 53 in an overtime game.

In other loop action last Friday, Pellston won their first game as they stopped the East Jordan Red Devils 55 to 52 and the Harbor Springs Rams edged past the Mancelona Ironmen 68 to 65.

The week, the Mancelona Ironmen will invade the Grayling gym on Tuesday night for the only conference game but Friday night will find the loop in full action as Grayling travels to Pellston, Boyne City is at East Jordan, Charlevoix is at Mancelona and, Gaylord at Harbor Springs.

Last Friday night here, Grayling raced out to a 27 to 11 first period edge over the visiting Ramblers and then slipped to an 18 to 17 second frame to lead 44 to 29 at intermission. The Vikings again lost the third canto 14 to 10 but wound up the evening with a big 24 to 14 fourth quarter to win going away 78 to 57.

LeRoy Neal with 32 points paced Grayling's attack with Pat Thompson adding 14, Steve DuBois and

Dave Nethers 10 each, Dale Slusser 8 and Dave Bailey 2. Mike Hauiser with 18 was tops for Boyne City.

Grayling hit 32 field goals and 14 out of 33 free throws. They were called for 19 personal fouls and lost the services of Slusser via the foul route. Boyne hit only 20 times from the field and added 17 of 25 free throws. They were called for 24 fouls and lost Mike Bade and Don Holzschue on five personals each.

Junior Varsity Coach Garrett Bufe's charges also came up with a win in their first game of 1967 as they stopped the little Ramblers 60 to 55. Grayling jumped off to 20 to 14 first period lead but led at halftime only 30 to 29. The little Vikings hit 15 to Boyne's 12 in the third canto to hold a 45 to 41 edge as the final period began. Grayling edged out the final frame 15 to 14 to win.

Mike Smock with 24 points paced the Jayvees with Tony Ellison adding 12, Warren Hayes and Allen Lowe 11, each and Gerry St. Germain and Mark Smith 1 each. Max Houck with 16 and Craig Kosthase with 11 were high for the Ramblers Juniors.

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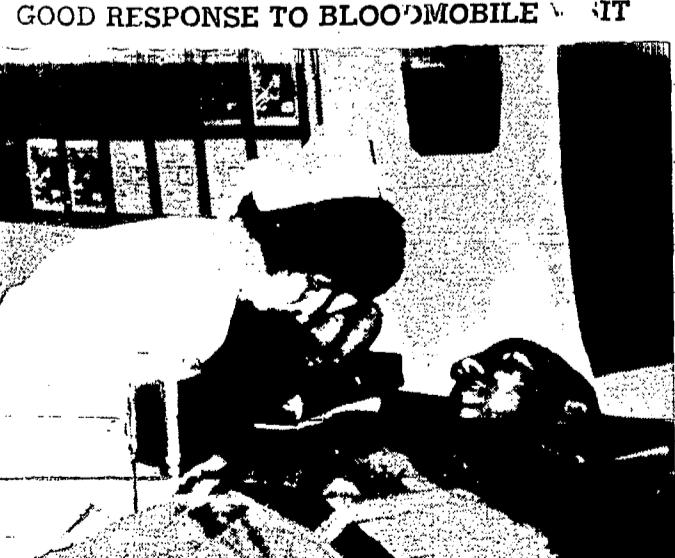
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Charlevoix	5	0
Gaylord	4	1
Grayling	3	2
Harbor Springs	2	3
Mancelona	2	3
Boyne City	1	4
Pellston	0	5
East Jordan	—	—

Frederic Postmistress Given Duty Citation

Mr. Paul Aumiller, teacher-principal of the Frederic Elementary School, reports that Mrs. LeLeng recently received a citation from Henry Foster, Secretary of the U. S. Treasury, because of her devotion to duty even while feeling poorly during December. She sells savings stamps at the Frederic School every Wednesday, and on some occasions she was feeling badly enough so Mr. Aumiller brought chairs and tables to the ground floor at the school so she wouldn't have to climb all over to sell stamps. So he wrote to Charles L. Curtis, editor of "Postmaster General" at Southfield, Michigan, commending her letter of duty. As a result of his letter the stamp for a while.

On behalf of the Blood Program, I would like to thank the following individuals and organizations: American Legion, the A & P Co., General Telephone Co., and C. D. Potomac M. D., registered nurses, LeRoy Neal, LeRoy Neal, and

GOOD RESPONSE TO BLOODMOBILE



Pictured is Miss Judy St. John, R. N., with the American Red Cross Bloodmobile unit on December 30th, 1966 as she prepares Mr. Leo Hirvela, a donor from FTEC site, Army Airfield, Grayling showing the cooperation offered by many groups in the Crawford County Blood Program.

The Red Cross Bloodmobile collected 163 pints at its visit here on December 30, 1966. This was a fairly good response for the time of year and the holiday period. It would seem that we are in good shape for a while.

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Grayling Enters National Contest

Grayling, Michigan, has entered the 1966 National Cleanest Town Achievement Award Contest. Its entry has been received at contest headquarters in the Nation's Capital.

The contest, which is the oldest and largest of its kind in the United States, is sponsored by the National Clean-Up, Paint-Up, Fix-Up Bureau.

"The active, civic-minded people in this community should be commended for their efforts," said R. H. Hackendahl, Director of the National Clean Up-Bureau.

"As a result of the efforts put forth by its citizens, the city is a healthier, safer and more attractive place in which to live," Hackendahl reported.

The contest entry, in scrapbook form, will be judged with entries from other cities and towns throughout the country. All entries are judged in one of the following two classifications: Class I—communities conducting a clean up campaign and Class II—communities sponsoring a year-round civic improvement and beautification program.

Judging will be the latter part of January and the results will be announced then.

Those communities receiving either an engraved Trophy, a Distinguished Achievement Award, or a Certificate of Honorable Mention will accept their awards at the National Cleanest Town Conference, February 20 and 21, in Washington, D. C. The National Award of Excellence, the Trigge Trophy, will be awarded to that city, regardless of classification, that the Judges deem best exemplifies the principles of the Bureau's nationwide community betterment program.

The Mayor and a delegation of citizens have been invited to attend the Conference and to accept any award the city may capture.

The Judges for the 1966 competition are the following: Mrs. Henry H. Fowler, wife of the Secretary of the Treasury and Chairman of the White House Speakers' Bureau on Beautification; Mrs. E. D. Pearce, President of the General Federation of Women's Clubs; John Harvey, Deputy Director of the National League of Cities; Harold E. Horn, Associate Director of the International City Managers' Association; Alastair McArthur, Deputy Executive Director of the National Association of Counties; and John J. Meehan, Manager of Community, Regional and National Resources Development, U. S. Chamber of Commerce.

The National Cleanest Town Achievement Award Contest has been held each year since 1929. Its purpose is to give national recognition to towns and cities for their efforts in civic improvement.

Dolly Luft, Traverse City, last year's winner, will participate in this year's affair along with a variety of specialty acts.

The winner will receive a \$300 scholarship and a Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce sponsored trip to Muskegon next summer where she will compete in the Miss Michigan pageant for a chance at the Miss America title.

Pageant director is Mrs. Marilyn H. Longworth.

Analysis of "The Miracle Worker"

By Carl B. J. Minor

One of the first things a director of dramatics does when preparing a production for the stage is to make a thorough analysis of the playwright's underlying theme.

This is especially true of William Gibson's play, "The Miracle Worker".

An analysis of "The Miracle Worker" presupposes an understanding of the life of both Helen Keller and her teacher, Annie Sullivan.

Helen Keller, destined to become a legend in her own lifetime, was born in Tuscumbia, Alabama, in the year 1880. Her parents, who welcomed her into their hearts and home, were Captain Arthur Keller, a brusk and hearty man, and his wife, Kate, a young and gentle woman. What at first appeared to be a normal, healthy childhood for the youngster soon became a life of misery and agony, both for Helen and her parents. A childhood illness, left the child blind, deaf and mute at the age of two years.

The next few years were sorrowful ones for the Kellers. Little aid seemed possible for the stricken child until Annie Sullivan came into her life. Helen Keller was seven years old at the time. Others had tried in vain to teach the mind of the child. It was Annie Sullivan, who, as a young girl of nineteen, took Helen under her wing and accomplished what seemed impos-

sible. Annie became a Miracle Worker.

The play will be presented at the G.H.S. auditorium on Thursday and Saturday, February 23rd and 25th.

CBer's Aid During Severe January Storm

According to Bob Ruddy, president of the Grayling C. B. Club, Friday, January 6, C. B. radio operators were instrumental in getting aid to at least three persons who required hospitalization during the severe snowstorm. Motorists were advised of the adverse weather conditions and important messages were relayed to many people by the operators of this area. A partial list of those participating includes Bill Meyer of Red Oak, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finch of Eldorado, and Mrs. Allen Carr of Grayling, also several operators in the area.

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AID TO VETERANS

Thomas Mitchell of the Veterans Administration will be in Grayling Tuesday, January 17th from 10 to 4 at the Courthouse. He

will advise men and women formerly in the service and/or their dependents as to any benefits to which they may be entitled. There is no charge for this service.



Courtesy Bay City Times

Break Ground For ⁹⁹ Ausagra Acres

Ski Team Wins Third Place

The Grayling High boys' Ski Team competed Wednesday, January 4th at Nubs Knob, with teams from Petoskey High, Petoskey St. Francis, and Harbor Springs. The girls' team did not field enough members to be eligible. Grayling finished third in the meet behind Petoskey and Petoskey St. Francis.

Bill Gould scored 4th in the slalom and 21st in the giant slalom, Fenn Welch was 10th in the slalom and 8th in the giant, which was the team's best run. Dave Nielson was 18th in slalom and 16th in the giant, Dave Jansen 16th in slalom and 20th in the giant, Tom Hatfield 21st in slalom and 11th in the giant, with Paul King 17th in slalom and 8th in the giant.

The event took place following a luncheon held at the Chieftain Shoppe's Motor Hotel. It was the culmination of approximately nine months' work during which time the land site, located between State and Mikado streets south of the AuSable River in Grayling, was

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CHAMBER OFFERED RADIO AIR TIME

Through the courtesy of the Sparks Broadcasting Co., Houghton Lake Radio Station WHGR and WJGS-FM, the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce is being offered a 15 minute program from 12:30 p. m. to 12:45 p. m. every Thursday.

Beginning Thursday, January 19, any organization in Crawford County that would like free promotion for any activity has only to call the Chamber office by Tuesday of every week, and WHGR will be most happy to broadcast the event for you.

A reminder to all CBers that the monthly meeting and potluck of the Grayling Citizens Band Club will be held January 28

COUNTY 1966 NEWS IN REVIEW

4 Columns From Last Week)

JULY 7 — Damaging blazes burn estimated 125 acres in county. Plans for new county building progress. Neighborhood Youth Corps offers jobs. Cornell named area chairman for WMU fund. Eight file for Crawford AuSable School District board. Healthmophile to visit Grayling. Resolution asks Highway Department to reconsider interchange location.

JULY 14 — Forest fires still plague county. Ohio's Buckeyes in field training at Guard Camp. Eight thousand enjoy City Firemen's July Fourth celebration. New vicar at St. Francis' Episcopal Church. Miss Michigan Winter Sports places twelfth. Ohio Guard co-operating with Governor George Romney's forest fire alert.

JULY 21 — Detailed study mapped for AuSable River. Upper Manistee River group formed. Ohioans to leave for home Saturday. Find sleigh load of logs on Lake Marquette bottom. Adopt zoning for Grayling Township. COOR Board elects officers, Norval Stephan and Robert Boves members.

JULY 28 — School and primary elections set for August 2. Fire sears 800 acres of Kirtland warbler area. NORCAP plans training meet. Fred Bear appears on TV July 28. Pastors fete Ohio Guard chaplains. City firemen called out twice Monday. New owners at Highwayman restaurant.

AUG. 4 — School proposals receive voter okay. Arnold Burrows dies at 77. Library fund seems lost. List teaching staff for schools. Neighborhood Youth Corps employs eight in county.

AUG. 11 — Crossing okayed for new court house. Swedish student to attend local school this year. School board elects officers. Library summer reading schedule ends. Baby boom looms in Crawford County. County workers better off.

AUG. 18 — AuSable River Property Owners Association tops 100. Grayling's Bear Mountain Lodge under construction at last. Water Resources Commission in AuSable River water survey. County building projects moving. Submarine GRAYLING launching postponed.

AUG. 25 — Schools open September 6. City Manager explains city's water woes of past summer. Jaycees on the move. Woman's Club plans silver tea. Legion marks 47th birthday. Little League concludes successful season. Grayling art students win 19 ribbons at Olsego County Fair.

SEPT. 1 — Canoe race this week end. Seeks site for Kirtland Community College. AuSable River now being patrolled. Kiwanis and Sportsman's Clubs plan barbecue and turkey shoot. List teaching staff for county schools. Consumer's Power cuts in new Gaylord plant. Traffic training survey made in County.

SEPT. 8 — Plan Manistee River attack on lampreys. Record time set in AuSable canoe race of 16 hours, 49 seconds. Chamber of Commerce dinner set for 22nd. New Chamber officers named. Blood program deemed successful. Harold Gazan named Youth Rehabilitation Camps program director.

pital Auxiliary silver tea planned. North I-75 business loop lighting okayed. Viking Drama Club active.

DEC. 1 — Vicki Wells wins Miss Grayling 1967 title. Open office here for gas pipeline. Christmas Club checks mailed. Services held for Frances May. Vikings defeat Roscommon Tuesday. Motel operators warned. Forensic program underway at High School.

DEC. 8 — Grayling Boy Scout troop organized. Bear Mountain now open. Failing to head Masonic Lodge. Grayling's Dave Nethers wins All-State honor. Christmas Cantata at High School on 20th. Vikings lose to Gaylord. Monday M-72 crash injures three.

DEC. 15 — Water Resources Commission calls Grayling for survey look. Grayling given regional basketball tourney. Mercy Hospital initiates Employee's Honor Week. Last rites held for Gen. Ralph A. Loveland. Vikings lose to Charlevoix Friday, win over Harbor Springs. Organize Soil and Water Conservation District for Roscommon and Crawford Counties. Bloodmobile to visit Grayling Dec. 30th. Hold Annual Golden Age party.

DEC. 22 — Hold extra funds for public housing. AuSable River hearing held. Vikings win over Harbor Springs Tuesday, top East Jordan Friday night. Clare Moore buys Riverside cabins. Yule-tide vandals active. Alvin Moore named to national Legion Committee.

DEC. 29 — Break ground for AuSagra Acres. Over 650 attend Christmas Cantata. Announce new driver's license fees. To form 5th and 6th Grade School Bands. 80 attending winter camp at Camp AuSable. Fred Hartmans observe 50th wedding anniversary. GenTel installing freeway location aids. Name Faye Bovee Michigan Week county chief.

NOV. 24 — To name Miss Grayling Saturday in Queen's Pageant at high school. I-75 crash fatal to Lansing man. Redcoat Roundup prizes awarded. Vining eagles win over Lake City in surprise opener. County yearly audit released. Hos-

Radiological Servicing Center To Expand In Lansing Armory

The Michigan National Guard Artillery Armory in Lansing will soon house an expanded Civil Defense Radiological Servicing Center. This announcement was released from the Office of The Adjutant General of Michigan, Major General Clarence C. Schipke. The expanded center is scheduled to be in operation in the spring of 1967, and will consist of a calibration room, maintenance room and supply room.

A Multi-Curie source Radiological Instrument Calibrator will be installed in the calibration room. This device provides high level radiation for the purpose of calibrating radiological monitoring instruments. The 1000 roentgen beam emitted from the calibrator will be aimed at a three foot concrete shield (300 to 600 roentgens is considered a lethal dose). As a result of this shielding, and rapidly decreasing intensity of the amount of radiation escaping to the outside of the armory building will be less than the amount emitted from an ordinary radium dial wristwatch.

The new facility will be located in the armory riding hall, formerly used as a rifle range. It is estimated that the expanded service center will cost \$9,879. The federal government is financing the project through a \$10,000 allotment made to the State of Michigan last October.

At present the Lansing Artillery Armory houses a limited repair and maintenance facility supervised by CPT William Miller, HHC 46th Infantry Division. A staff of four electronic technicians keep approximately 100,000 Civil Defense radiological instruments, used throughout the state, in repair. Exchange centers are located in National Guard armories at Sault Ste. Marie, Ishpeming, Grayling, Bay City, Lansing, Grand Rapids, Dowagiac, Jackson and Detroit.

With the addition of the Radiological Instrument Calibrator, Captain Miller and his staff will be able to calibrate the instruments that read the radiation field. "Some of them haven't been calibrated in ten years," said the supervisor.

Since nuclear warfare is so devastating a person might wonder how projects like a radiological servicing center can be of benefit.

"We know that a human being cannot survive in the proximity of the point of detonation of a nuclear bomb," said Captain Miller, "but a person can survive in the fallout area if radiological instruments are available and intensities of radiation are accurately measured."

Captain Miller hopes to check and calibrate all 100,000 instruments in the state within one year after receiving the calibrator.

As supervisor of the Radiological Calibration and Maintenance Facility, Captain Miller works closely with the Civil Defense Division of the Department of State Police and the Military Support to Civil Defense Section of the Department of Military Affairs. The combined efforts of these agencies have expanded the capabilities of Civil Defense in the State of Michigan.

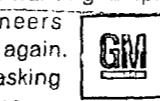
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Let's Use Them More . . .

Occasionally the process of evolution does leave some stone unturned, thus giving rise to those quaint misfits which remind us of another age. A few of the more striking examples are the duckbilled platypus, San Francisco's cable cars, Casey Stengel and movies the whole family can see. A less happy example is our public school system.

With their six- or seven-hour schedules and three-month vacations our schools still are geared to the agricultural economy of the 19th century, when pupils doubled as farmhands. The President's Council on Physical Fitness points out the waste involved in this system in urging communities to open up their school sports and fitness facilities for after-hours and summer use. It also indicates a logical place to begin making more efficient use of an \$85 billion physical plant.

Why shouldn't the residents of a community use the gymnasiums, tennis courts, playing fields, running tracks, activity rooms and swimming pools (if they have them) of the schools which they build and support with their tax dollars? All of us—young and old alike—could use the exercise, and every community could use the facilities which would be added to its resources for recreation.

The time is long past when we could afford to utilize expensive public facilities for only a few hours a day, 180 days a year. Meeting the needs of the modern community is a full-time job which won't permit part-time use of valuable resources.

Of course, there is more involved in making our schools neighborhood recreation centers than merely unlocking the doors and throwing out the balls. Someone has to be there to organize, supervise and instruct, and there are problems of maintenance, insurance, equipment, etc.

Communities which already have adopted this approach have discovered that it costs them only a few dollars per capita per year. That's cheap when compared to the cost of duplicating the trained staffs and extensive facilities which our schools now employ on a part-time basis.

The workings of the United Nations are a mystery to most people. If past reports are correct, members who do not agree with some of its policies can simply refuse to pay their share of the cost and still retain their right to vote, and the United States will pick up the tab.



In Grayling 23 Years Ago

Interesting Items of News
Gathered From the Files of
the Avalanche of 23
Years Ago.

January 13, 1944

The conference game for the flash Grayling High quintet was registered in the win column when Gaylord was defeated by the score of 33-20. In downing the tough Gaylord team the Green Wave displayed some classy basketball. In the preliminary game the B squad reserves defeated an Eighth Grade team 36-6. Quite a few future Grayling high greats performed in this contest.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brady announced the marriage of their daughter Helen Mary to Mr. Leo James Witham, son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Witham of Detroit. The ceremony was solemnized at a nuptial mass at Presentation Catholic Church at 9 o'clock on January 1st. Miss Jean Brady attended her sister as bridesmaid and Bartlund Eldred served as best man. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at Canterbury Inn the couple leaving afterwards on a short honeymoon trip to Canada. Returning they will be at home at Blaine Street, Detroit. The bride is a graduate of Grayling High Schools, class of '27, is employed in the offices of the Chrysler Corporation and Mr. Witham by General Motors Corporation.

Howard Granger of Mac & Gidley's took a number of beautiful frost pictures last week. Everything had a beautiful silvery sheen.

We repeat, Grayling is a fine city. But there are so many opportunities to make it a still finer city. We have a Chamber of Commerce. The Avalanche offers this body the mouthpiece thru which to get more industries interested in this city, toward bringing more people to live here and enjoy the many advantages Grayling offers as a place or residence. Too, there should be more publishing to the outside world the recreational advantages of this section of Michigan, with Grayling as the focal point. Fishing and hunting; the

winter sports—year 'round enjoyment for vacationer. The Avalanche is here to serve—and has been serving Grayling and vicinity for going on sixty-six years—this number begins Volume 66 of this paper. It is a wonderful thing for any newspaper to exist over such a period of years. Its life is based on its usefulness.

Mrs. Nell Reid is leaving today for Twining for a week.

Jens Ziebell is absent from his duties at the light plant on account of the flu.

Mrs. Evelyn Brown is the new soda dispenser at Hanson's Sporting Goods Store.

Miss Mildred Hanson entertained the Just Us Club at her home Tuesday evening.

Robert Gildner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gildner, left Tuesday for Detroit where he will enter the Navy.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gust Tuesday at Mercy Hospital. This is the third son born to the Gusts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt and three daughters, who have been residing in Detroit, have returned to their home in Grayling.

Mrs. Robert Ziebell had the misfortune to fall at her home Tuesday and fractured her left wrist. She is at the home of her son Jens Ziebell.

Charles Moshier, F/3c of Camp Ward, Farragut, Idaho, is spending this week visiting Mrs. Moshier. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Moshier and the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herluf Sorenson drove to Cadillac for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allen of Bay City were Grayling callers Monday. Mr. Allen is on the Bay City Times staff and was here on business, while Mrs. Allen who will be remembered as Jane McLean, called on old friends.

Sgt. Wesley O. Sammons, who left Hammer Field, Fresno, Calif., on Dec. 29th has arrived at his destination over there, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. Ella Sammons.

Robert Papendick, S2/c is enjoying a leave until Monday from Camp Ward, Farragut, Idaho, and visiting his parents Sheriff and Mrs. John Papendick. His sister Miss Thelma was home from Lansing Tuesday and Wednesday and the whole family had a belated Christmas dinner and opening of gifts. They had awaited Robert's visit home.

Mrs. Rudolph Feldhauser and daughter Louise spent the weekend in Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sorenson are the proud parents of a son, Norman Robert, born Wednesday, Jan. 5th.

Robert Clark and Alfred Hanson of Michigan State College spent Sunday with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Post of Frederic have received word of the promotion of their son, Charles Leo, who is serving with the U. S. Army in Hawaii, to the rank of Sergeant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Selesky together with Grandma Hartley are proud of the new baby girl born Tuesday at Mercy Hospital. Mother and baby are doing fine. The little

girl will be called Barbara Ann. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Knibbs entertained the Feldhauser family and a few friends at their home Saturday evening in honor of Sgt. Otto Feldhauser who returned to Fort Stacy, Va., Sunday after spending his furlough.

Thunder Bay River has been the popular place for fishing of late. Last Saturday George Granger, Oscar Goss and son Leslie, Dr. Russell VanVleck, Frank Bond and William Herk tried their luck Sunday. Melvin Marshall, Joseph Cincilla and Edwin Chalker drove over to the river and Tuesday Fred Lamm, Amos and Chris Hoessl and Menno Corwin brought home their fish. Are there any left boys?

Hazen Hatfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hatfield, who enlisted in the Navy on December 28th, left January 3 for the Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

Mrs. Fritzi Berl of Roscommon has received word from her brother, Capt. Leonard H. Knibbs, that he is on duty in the South West Pacific area.

Word has been received by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hatfield that Pvt. Harold Hatfield is now in England, being transferred from Italy.

Grayling Sportsmen's club held their monthly meeting at the Legion Hall Wednesday evening. President Stanley Madsen read a number of communications from state and national sportsmen clubs, advocating several types of legislation that were deemed pertinent to the policies of the clubs. Heading the evening's events was a talk by James Kolka and seconded by Dr. Dosch.

Approval on motion by Dr. Dosch carried for the purchase of six new sewing machines with tables.

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Patricia Fowler, Sec'y.

46 YEARS AGO

January 13, 1921

Leonard Eichorn of Bay City was in Grayling Monday in the interest of the Wildman Rubber Co. of Bay City, hoping to interest local investors in the purchase of stock in that organization.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin are the proud parents of a baby son, born to them Sunday morning.

Chris Scow is absent from his duties for Salling-Hanson Lumber Co. suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

John Chernish has returned to Norfolk, Va. to join his ship, the U.S.S. Nevada, after spending a 15-day furlough with his father in South Branch Township.

Ed McCary of Caro was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Clark, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Schrager of Chicago is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Brenner and family, for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Helen Thorgaard left for her home in Bay City, Monday.

Miss Flavia Robertson returned Saturday to Detroit after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Robertson.

The newly elected officers of the Ladies' National League are: President, Phoebe Johnson; 1st Vice-President, Emma Knibbs; 2nd Vice-President, Prudence Marshall; Chaplain, Myrtle Corwin; Treasurer, Margaret Mitchell; Secretary, Mabelle Doroh; Marshal, Hazel Wealt; Assistant Marshal, Minnie Yoder; Sentinel, Della Mathieson; Picket, Maude Owens; Organist, Charlotte Flagg.

The ladies of the Woman's Club entertained the members of the Good Fellowship Club Tuesday evening. A lecture was given by S. F. Gingerich of the U. of M. His subject was "The Effect of the War on America and American Literature."

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SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

The regular December 12, 1966 meeting of the Board of Education for the Crawford AuSable School District was called to order by Secretary Patricia Fowler at 8:00 p.m. at the Grayling High School office.

The minutes of the November meeting were approved on motion by Patrick Harwood and seconded by Paul Dosch. Carried.

All members except Gerald Burns were in attendance.

After discussion of the financial statement a motion was made by Dr. Dosch and seconded by James Kolka to pay vouchers No. 57-No. 108 on sheet December 12, 1966. Carried.

After hearing a letter from Lewis Stillwagon, President, Grayling Community Recreation Area, the Secretary was instructed to send an answer accepting an offer of swimming facilities hopefully constructed in the near future at the park.

The meeting was turned over to President Henig upon his arrival. A motion was made by James Kolka seconded by Bob Smock to approve payment for new light guards at the gym. Carried.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor's Note: Mrs. Harnack uses calendar pictures to make jigsaw puzzles for children's and Veterans' Hospitals.

Pontiac, Michigan

January 1, 1967

To The Crawford Co. Avalanche

Dear Friends:

We will be leaving shortly for Florida, and again we will be staying at Fort Myers until the first part of April.

Again many thanks.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Hugo Harnack

porter" for Frederic and vicinity. Since she has taken over the task as reporter we find so many things of interest. When we receive our Avalanche one of the first things that we look for is the local news, which keeps us abreast of our friends and neighbors.

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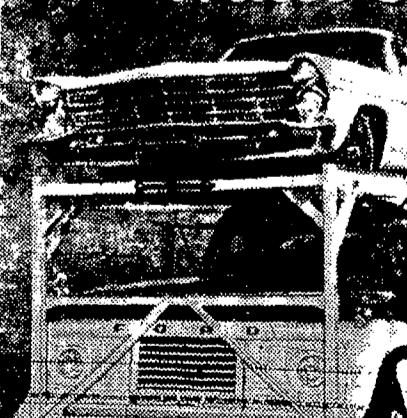
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WANTED — Milling machine operator to operate Bridgeport mill on die detail. Must be experienced. Call 348-3101. 5-12-19-26

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FIREPLACE WOOD FOR SALE — Birch and maple. Other by request. Bob's Tree Service, 808 Smith St., or Box 334, Grayling. 10/13/tf

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Mercy Hospital News

Patients at Mercy Hospital this week included Erma Burtch, Mary Bendley, Charles Decker, Hazel Taylor, Melinda Tabor, Verna Barber, Bertha Epley, William Epley, Louise Johnson, Eva Lewis, Frank Wood, Nellie Canfield, Grayling, Bradford Ayers, Kenneth Burkhardt, Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aulinskis of St. Clair Shores have a baby son, Dean Allan, born at 1:14 a.m. January 2, 1967, weighing 5 lbs. 14 1/2 oz. His grandparents are the elderly Chaundys of Grosse Pointe Park and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Aulinskis of Dowagiac. Mr. and Mrs. Aulinskis had come to their parents' cottage at Houghton Lake for some ice fishing, but had their plans changed. New Year's Day when young Dean decided to arrive a whole month early.

Bernice Carrick

Women of the Moose

The Women of the Moose held their regular meeting Monday night with a good attendance. Three new members were taken in. Business was discussed, and after the meeting, lunch was served. The group will hold its next meeting January 16. We hope to have an even larger attendance.

Bernice Carrick

Former Resident Passes At Ludington Hospital

Services for Mrs. Faye Dore, former resident of Grayling, were held at two o'clock Saturday, January 7, 1967 at the Dorell Funeral Home in Ludington, with burial in the Ludington Cemetery. Mrs. Dore died January 5th in a Ludington hospital. She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star.

Mrs. Dore was born in the Stimson House at Mackinaw City, one of Michigan's oldest hotels. It was owned at the time by her late father, William Smith, a pioneer hotelman.

Surviving are her husband, Maurice E., two daughters, Cheryl and Kathy, and two sons, Mark and David.

Mrs. Dore moved to Ludington from Detroit 15 years ago. The family owned and operated the Dore Manufacturing Company in Grayling during World War II.

Diane Duley, reporter

4-H NEWS

The Archery 4-H Group met again Saturday, January 7th, at 10 a.m. We now have four new members. We practiced our shooting again and everyone is doing quite well. Sandy Burns was appointed treasurer of the group.

Bernice Carrick

Maple Forest

By Bessie Feldhauser and Mrs. Arthur Howse

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Canfield, 24, retired dentist, practicing for many years in Saginaw, and one-time resident of Grayling, passed away Monday, December 26, at the Gladwin Nursing Home. He had lived in Gladwin County for the past 2 1/2 years. His wife preceded him in death. He was born in Otsego, Michigan, September 3, 1882.

The only survivor is a brother-in-law, D. D. Fox of Dallas, Texas, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Irene B. Scrafford of Phoenix, Arizona.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, December 29, 1966 at the Miner Funeral Home in Gladwin, with entombment at the Oakwood Mausoleum in Saginaw.

Bruce Babbitt and two children

went to East Jordan Sunday to see the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Petrie.

Mrs. Ivan Hamblin is working at Frederic on weekends. Also

Mrs. Harry Canfield and Norrine.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Parsons,

Vernor and Patricia and Patricia's

financier of Troy were at their cabin

on New Years weekend, and visited his father Oscar Parsons.

This community was saddened to

hear of the death of our good friend

and ex-neighbor Clarence Dobson

at Birmingham and all extend sincere sympathy.

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Million Mothers Fight Birth Defects In Traditional March of Dimes Drive

Famed actresses Jane Wyatt, Angela Lansbury and Gigi Perreau share a secret—they have learned there can be a great deal more to life than the glamour and glitter of stage and screen stardom.

Behind the scenes these stars are among the more than one million American women who have become March of Dimes volunteers so that countless millions of infants, yet unborn, may have the chance to lead normal and useful lives.

For the fourth consecutive year, Miss Wyatt is national chairman of the March of Dimes Mothers' March on birth defects. Miss Lansbury is chairman in New York City, and Miss Perreau is chairman in Los Angeles, Calif.

As the world of stars helps the 1967 March of Dimes, so does the world of space. The Mothers' March chairman in Houston, Tex., is Mrs. L. Gordon Cooper Jr., wife of the famous astronaut, while the mother of astronaut Wally Schirra, Mrs. Walter Schirra Sr., heads the Mothers' March in San Diego, Calif.

These well-known women and the many other equally dedicated Mothers' March volunteers across the nation seek their neighbors' support and contributions for the 1967 March of Dimes because the need is so vital and immediate.

Each year more than 250,000 American babies are born with birth defects, many of which can disfigure, disable or kill. That's about 700 infants born each day with a physical or mental defect. Birth defects each year destroy an estimated 500,000 infants before they are born.

"On the March of Dimes from door to door, volunteers will have two main goals," Miss Wyatt explains.



THE OBJECT OF THEIR AFFECTION is 5-year-old Donna Dill, the 1967 National March of Dimes Child, who symbolizes the 250,000 American babies born with birth defects each year. Actress Jane Wyatt, left, is national chairman of the Mothers' March. Visiting Santa Claus with Donna is Gratiel Mothers' March leader, Tracy Cooper, Houston, Tex., wife of astronaut L. Gordon Cooper, Jr.

These women want to educate parents and parents-to-be about birth defects and what is known about how to prevent them. They will also try to raise funds to support the fight on birth defects.

The educational leaflet, "Happy Birth Day," will be distributed during the Mothers' March. It explains what to do if you are about to be married, if you are expecting a baby, if a birth defect occurs in your family or if you have friends with a defective child who needs assistance.

A nationwide Public Education Program to distribute authoritative information about prenatal care and birth defects treatment and research. The million mothers who march this month will share the certain knowledge that they will indeed be marching to help generations of babies yet unborn.

County Economy At Mid-Decade

(Special to the Avalanche)

NEW YORK—Now that the midpoint of the decade has been passed, the question arises: How much progress did residents of Crawford County make economically and otherwise, in the first half of the '60s?

What has the local growth rate been, compared to that in other communities?

The inventory-taking is suggested by a recent Department of Commerce report entitled: "Americans at Mid-Decade," which takes stock of such changes on a national and regional basis.

It finds that some sections of the country have been growing much faster than other sections, that

Andrew H. Jensen Passes In Bay City

farm populations continue to drop, that school enrollments have risen enormously and that the economy as a whole is far ahead of where it was in 1960.

These are the overall national findings. They represent the sum total of the changes that have taken place in all the cities, towns and villages across the country.

But what is of more direct interest to residents of each individual locality is what they themselves and their own community have accomplished.

Continuing studies by the Commerce Department, the Labor Department and others indicate that sturdy gains were made in Crawford County in the five-year period.

They show that local residents moved from a net income in 1960 of \$1,206 per capita, after taxes, to a net of \$1,791 by the beginning of this year.

It represented an increase of 48.5 per cent in the five years.

Elsewhere in the United States, the increase was 19.0 per cent. It amounted to 25.1 per cent in the State of Michigan.

Although the rise in consumer prices absorbed some of the gains, the increase in buying power was sufficient to produce the biggest boom the country has ever seen.

In Crawford County, local residents boosted their annual rate of retail spending from \$1,416 per capita to \$1,877 during the same period.

Progress was made in other directions, too. The educational attainment of the population rose a notch or two, living standards improved and the number of people gainfully employed increased.

In the State of Michigan as a whole, the number of persons in non-agricultural jobs rose from 2,351,000 to 2,602,000 in the five years.

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BITS O' TALK

January 1st and 2nd Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carlson made a trip to Kalama to enter their daughter Christine at Bronson Hospital School of Nursing for her second semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fenton received a phone call from their son Bob at Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri, saying how delighted he was to get letters and Christmas cards at the result of his name being in the Christmas Mailbag. Bob says no body knows what it's like until he gets servicemen's boots. Bob graduates January 17th from his engineering course and will be home on leave the 18th or 19th for twenty days leave before being shipped out. The Fentons have all received thank yous from Thailand, Panama, Alaska and Viet Nam as well as from many places in the States for cards and notes which they sent out to servicemen all of which they treasure.

Mr. and Mrs. Everton Williams have returned after visiting relatives and friends in Bradenton, Fla. for the past month.

January 3rd Mrs. LeRoy Millikin took their son Bob and his roommate Raul Vasquez to Joliet, Illinois where the boys met their ride back to Albuquerque, N. Mex. and the University of New Mexico, after they had spent the holidays at the Millikin home.

Airman Gary Springs was one of the many hospital patients chosen to phone home Christmas as a gift of the business men of Agana, Guam. Gary has been confined to bed over two months because of complications in a combined fracture and broken leg he suffered in a freak accident.

Norman Sorenson was home from

Cheboygan both New Years and Christmas weekends visiting his parents, the Robert Sorensons.

Ralph King and son Jerry took their houseguest Ulf Jarvinen to Detroit December 16th where he took a plane the next day for San Francisco, California and was met by a cousin, Miss Rystrom, who saw that he was situated with relatives in the town of Richfield for his two-week holiday. Miss Rystrom is head nurse at one of the Berkeley hospitals. Ulf visited San Francisco and saw many of its famous places, the well-known redwood trees of California, went skiing at Squaw Valley, tried out the golf courses. On his return to Michigan he was met in Detroit by the King's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rohde, who brought him back to Grayling January 1st.

The Grayling Restaurant has had new kitchen equipment installed.

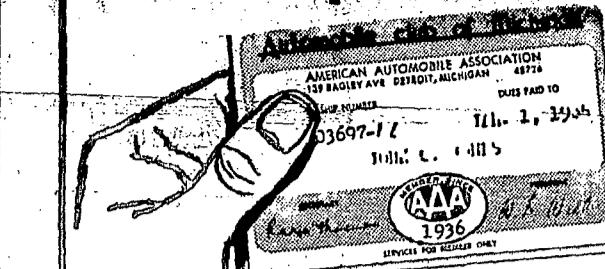
Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Douglas were in Rose City New Year's Day to visit Mrs. Bert Higginbotham and her sister Mrs. Adele Chambers.

The Wednesday night Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Joseph Stripe January 4th. Guests were Mrs. Melvin Nielson and Mrs. Carl Richardson of Bay City. Prizes were won by Mrs. Nielson, Mrs. Leonard Knibbs and Mrs. Tom Welsh. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Dale Pettengill.

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Water level Dec. 29, '66 1134.30 ft.
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Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the City Council held Tuesday, December 27, 1966 at 12:00 noon at Chief Shapenagon Motor Hotel.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Cook at 12:00 noon. Members present: Cook, Sorenson, Madsen, Duley, Broadbent. Members absent, none. Citizens present, Ward Ellison, Robert Aschenbrenner and Mr. Ben Schenck. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

Mr. Robert Aschenbrenner was asked to explain the change of policy in the employees retirement program. Because he was waiting for information from his New York office regarding policy, he was asked to appear at the next regular meeting of the Council, in January.

The bids for gasoline and fuel oil were opened and read. The bids were as follows:

Standard Oil Co., gasoline, American regular, 17.10¢ per gallon; fuel oil, No. 2, 13.90¢ per gallon. Post Oil Company, gasoline, regular, 90 octane or better, 16.50¢ per gallon; fuel oil, No. 2, 12.84¢ per gallon.

A motion by Duley and supported by Sorenson, that the bid for gasoline and fuel oil from Post Oil Company for 1967 be accepted, ef-



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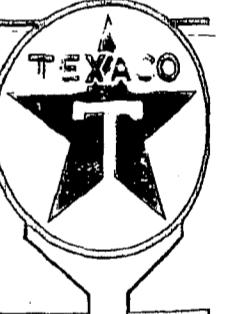
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If taxes are not paid by February 15th the Collection Fee is raised to 4%.

On and after March 2nd, taxes will be payable at the County Treasurer's Office, Grayling, Michigan, with a penalty of 4% and 1/2 of 1% interest per month until paid.

Harold S. Cliff

CITY MANAGER

Road Commissioners Minutes

December 23, 1966

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling. Meeting was called to order by Chairman Pro-Tem Mead. Members present were Commissioners Howard H. Mead and Harold T. Johnson and Acting Superintendent Norman H. Feldhauser. Absent, Commissioner Elmer A. Cor-

sent. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

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A motion by Duley and support-

ed by Sorenson, that the bid for

gasoline and fuel oil from Post Oil

Company for 1967 be accepted, ef-

fective January 1, 1967.

All voting in favor, the motion

carried.

Mr. Schenck appeared before the

council to present an offer to the

City, as consultant, in preparing

applications to the Federal govern-

ment for financial aid, such as

grants and loans. His compensation

was to be on a fee basis. After

discussion on the subject, the

Council tabled any action until

after the City has received word

from the Farm Home Administra-

tion, Lake City, Michigan.

As there was no further busi-

ness to come before the Council,

the meeting was adjourned by

Mayor Cook at 1:30 p.m.

Harold S. Cliff, City Clerk

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Some Extension News
The Lovells Home Extension group met with Mrs. Jack Dec. 14th for their Christmas party with 15 present. The tables were beautifully decorated and a lovely luncheon was served at noon by the hostess and Mrs. Mary Venus. A business meeting was held following lunch, to Mrs. Pat Harwood. The next meeting will be Jan. 11th at the home of Mrs. Harry Press.

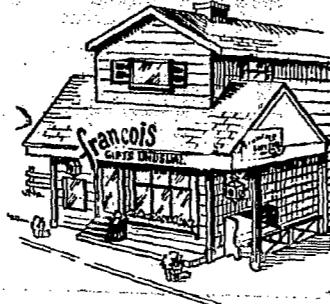
U.S. House of Representatives
The secretary's and treasurer's reports were given. The secretary also reported that a council meeting will be held Jan. 17th at the Roscommon County Courthouse at 1:00 p.m.

Following the meeting, an exchange of Christmas gifts was made. The mystery package went to Mrs. Pat Harwood. The next call was answered with the home of Mrs. Harry Press.

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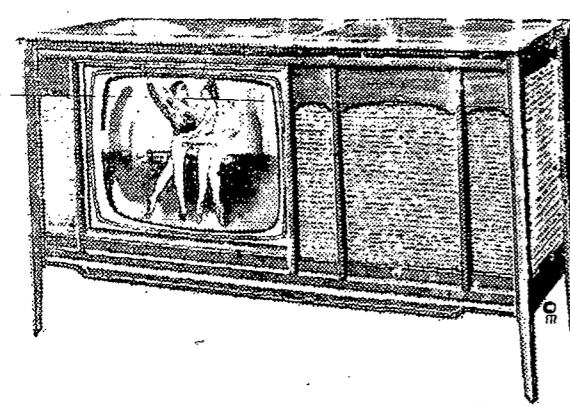
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Broadworth spent the Christmas holidays visiting their children in Cato. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stillwagon spent Tuesday evening of last week in Oscoda on business. Mrs. Anemarie Bulthus Friday began work in the Williams Brothers pipeline company office.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baker and daughter Cathy spent four days the past month visiting her mother Mrs. John Mazurek at Wakefield and also at Bessemer.

Bob Houghton returned to East Lansing Tuesday of last week where he is studying towards a Masters degree in education. He began his post-graduate work last September. He was home for the Christmas holidays to visit his mother Mrs. Nyland Houghton.

Enjoy "Smorgasbord" at the Penguin Inn every Wednesday evening starting at 6 p.m. \$2.95 per person. All you can eat. On I-75 Business Loop, South in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch left for Big Rapids Tuesday of last week to resume their studies at Ferris State College. They had spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes, also helped out at the store while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Broadbent enjoyed New Years Day by having their daughter and family the William Widrigs of Gaylord down for a snowmobile ride and a picnic in the snow complete with outdoor cooking.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bunker had as their guests for Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Babbitt and two boys of Flint, and Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Faling of Hart, also the Claude Golnick family of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hawkins were in Boyne Falls Wednesday of last week to visit her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trautman. Miss Delann Feldhauser accompanied them as far as Mancelona and spent the day visiting Frances Dixon. New Years weekend Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins renewed their traditional visit with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Himesbaugh in Battle Creek. Christmas they spent with their daughter Mary Lou Felgenhauer and family in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paulsen attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Petersen in Detroit Monday of last week. For New Years weekend the Paulsens' son Robert Paulsen Jr. and family of Rochester and friends the John Tuckfields of Birmingham stayed at the cottage at McIntyre's Landing and enjoyed the facilities at Bear Mountain while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Melroy and family visited his sister, Mrs. Myrtle McPhail at Tiffin, Ohio, New Years weekend. The Bunco Club met January 5th with Mrs. Russell Moshier as the hostess. Winner of first prize was Mrs. Floyd SanCartier, winner of

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Wilcox and children, Mrs. Mae Verlinde and Lynn Charon had New Years Day dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cram at their home in Frederic.

Timmy Canfield had the misfortune to break his leg while skiing one day last week. He stayed in the hospital over-night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiford Wells and Mr. and Mrs. James Duma and baby of Detroit called on the Stanley Hollands Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Wilcox and children spent a few days last week visiting her sister Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hummel enjoyed having their entire family at home over the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hummel and two children from near Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hummel and three children from Bonners Ferry, Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. Rolly Hummel and Susie of Clawson and Mr. and Mrs. Al Hummel and two children from Alexandria, Va. Also Francis and Linda at home.

Buddy Hamblin drove Neil Plagens to Pellston to get a plane to Cleveland. Barbara Larson and Opal Hamblin accompanied them and spent the afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Neil Plagens on New Years Day.

Sunday dinner guests of Martha Petersen were Mr. and Mrs. John Petersen, Ester Peterson and Christine Feldhauser. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Petersen and children and Mrs. Alice Munchback called in the afternoon. On Monday, Martha Petersen accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Tom Petersen to take Alice's mother Mrs. Alice Munchback to her home in Mancelona.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lamm and daughter of Clarkson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith over the Christmas weekend.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owen, they are enjoying sunny days in Brownsville, Texas.

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HEAD LETTUCE 2 for 29c
FRESH CRANBERRIES lb. 19c
FRESH TOMATOES 5-PACK TRAY 19c

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Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday, January 12, 1967

BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin C. Kolka and family, formerly of Grayling and now of Midland, have just recently returned from Hampton, Va., where they visited Mr. Kolka's sister and family, Sgt. and Mrs. Gerald (Jacqueline Kolka) Worden during the holidays. They motorized to Livonia to spend Christmas Day with another sister, Mrs. Norma L. (Kolka) Higgins, then left the following day by car for Virginia. While there they visited Jamestown, Yorktown and Williamsburg with the Wordens.

William and Carol McKay, who were married December 17th in Bay City, spent two days of their honeymoon with his godparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gierke. William is the son of Mrs. Harold Hill of Bay City and St. Petersburg, Fla. The William Lauries were dinner guests of the Gierkes Saturday, and on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Gierke were dinner guests of the Cecil Athertons in Rose City.

For a quick but enjoyable luncheon, try the Penguin Inn's Buffet Luncheon from 11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m., Mondays through Fridays. \$1.35 per person. On I-75 Business Loop, South in Grayling.

Bill Gould, Dave Cinciala and Mike Mason were among those taking part in the U. S. S. A. Central Division qualifying meet for junior racers last weekend at Boyne Highlands. Results will be determined by computer as to what class each skier will compete in.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hull and little Tracy of Pontiac spent New Years weekend visiting their parents, the Arnold Maureens and Joseph Hulls.

Miss Lauri Olson flew to Chicago December 30th and on January 2nd began a course of training to be an airline stewardess given by United Airlines at O'Hare Airfield, Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Bidvia took their grandchildren Laurie and Bobbie Ballinger as far as Bay City January 2nd to meet their parents and return home to Wayne after spending a week here at the Bidvia home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lodge and Mrs. Elroy Barber spent the weekend in Flint with the Elwood Barbers, and took in the wedding of their nephew, Eugene Barber to Miss Patricia Diamond.

Mrs. Roy Newberry returned home Monday after spending a month with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Leo Turner in Pigeon, whose husband has been ill.

Don't forget the Hobby Club meeting at Barbara Hinkle's this Thursday. Election of officers.

Betty Hatley

CARD OF THANKS

My thanks go to Dr. Henig and the Mercy Hospital staff for their care, and to friends for cards and flowers sent me while I have been ill. They are deeply appreciated.

Frank and Eva LaMotte

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Father Louis for the blessing and nice words, also our daughters and their husbands for a successful day, and all those who sent nice cards and valable gifts.

Ind. high series: Sawyer 598, Juntila 582, Nelson, Dornire 549. Ind. high single: LaMotte St. 225, Roper 216, R. Gohnick 212.

National League - 1st Div. January 3, 1967

1 Ringer's 4
2 Sportsman's Club 4
3 Clark's Standard 3
4 Uncle Al 3
5 Post Oil 3
6 Southside Wood Pds. 3
7 Grayling Bay Service 3
8 Bob's Super 100 2 1/2
9 Grayling D & L 1 1/2
10 Hanson's Sporting Gds. 1
11 Penguin Inn 1
12 Al & Jessie's Cafe 1
13 Tuft's Distributing 1
14 Michigan Con G's 1
15 Jim's Canoe Livery 0
16 Moose Lodge 0
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National League - 1st Div. January 5, 1967

1 R & H Sport Center 4
2 Grayling State Bank 3
3 Wharf's Dinner Bell 3
4 Grayling D & L 3
5 Bear Archery 1
6 Mac's Drug Store 1
7 Lee's Barber Shop 1
8 Triangle Motel 0
Ind. high series: LaMotte Jr. 574, Madsen 552, Hull 546. Ind. high single: Hull 234, Madsen 204, Sawyer 203.

National League - 2nd Div. January 5, 1967

1 Warblers 3
2 Marshall Const. 3
3 General Telephone 3
4 City of Grayling 3
5 Schee Motors Inc. 1
6 State Highway 1
7 Bob's Body Shop 1
8 Fugels Co. Inc. 1
Ind. high series: S. Wakeley 563, Stephenson 559, Johnson 554. Ind. high single: Canfield 233, Fowler & Stephenson 214, K. Gollnick 212.

RECREATION LEAGUE Jan. 4, 1967

1 AuSable Mobi Service 4
2 R & H Sport Shop 4
3 Mike's Sunoco 3
4 Culligan's Soft Water 3
5 Leonard Gas 3
6 Grayling State Bank 3
7 Glen's Market 3
8 Lovells Bar 3
9 Marshall Motel 1
10 Scheer Motors 1
11 Olson's Shoes 1
12 Fays Motel 1
13 The Pioneer Room 1
14 Roquette's 1
15 Bill's Laundry 0
16 Dingman's Tavern 0
Ind. high series: L. Wheeler 533, G. Nelson 524, J. Hoffman 520. Ind. high single: J. Hoffman 199, S. Linendoll 198, B. Theeker 195.

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE Jan. 6, 1967

1 Southside Wood Pds. 3
2 Dick's Sign Service 3
3 Black & White Mkt. 3
4 Grayling Bay Service 3
5 Bear Archery 1
6 McEvans Motors 1
7 Burns Hardware 1
8 Penguin Inn 1
Ind. high series: J. Laeder 581, C. Stephan 556, L. Wheeler 546. Ind. high single: J. Laeder 214, C. Stephan 209, L. Wheeler 207-203.

BITS O' TALK

For those wishing to write a new address, Lt. and Mrs. Joe A. LaGrow, 2107 N. W. 38th St., Woodward Arms, Apt. 29, Lawton, Okla. home 73501.

The Rev. John L. Kraus, C. S. B. spent the Christmas holidays with his sister, Miss Virginia, also visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kraus, Mr. and Mrs. William Kraus and the Al Chervens. Father Kraus with his nephew, Philip Cherven of Roscommon, returned January 2nd to St. John Fisher College, Rochester, N. Y.

William and John Fitzpatrick of Detroit visited their aunt, Miss Virginia Kraus during the Christmas holidays.

Floyd Millikin, Gus Williams, Jerry Korhonen and Bob LaMotte left Tuesday for Trout Lake, Canada, to spend until next Monday.

Fred Bear is getting about on crutches nowadays because of a broken leg as the result of an accident which occurred when the throttle stuck on his new snowmobile, two weeks ago today. Mr. and Mrs. Bear entertained a few friends at dinner the Monday following Christmas, before the accident took place.

Pfc. Larry Millikin was home from Ft. Rucker, Ala., with his parents, the Jack Millikins, for the holidays. He left New Year's Day

from Ft. Benning, Ga., where he is now stationed. His brother, Pfc. Jerry Millikin, who is in Viet Nam, is recovering from malaria.

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Abbie Madill is in the hospital with bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goudie of Lansing spent the weekend with their daughter and family the Donald Boones. The Goudies joined Mr. and Mrs. Boone, Don and Cheryl in Lachine, Wis., at Christmas-time at the home of Mrs. Boone's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Jacobs and family.

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Leo Lovely, Chairman

CARD OF THANKS

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